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Amendment

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Offered by:

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To: Subst. House Bill No. 5445

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**"AN ACT CONCERNING SUPPLEMENTAL PAYMENTS UNDER
THE CONNECTICUT ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM."**

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) Each electric distribution or gas
4 company that receives, on behalf of any of its customers, payments
5 under the Connecticut energy assistance program during the federal
6 fiscal year ending September 30, 2012, shall deduct an amount equal to
7 such payments from the customer's delinquent account if such
8 deduction is not otherwise made pursuant to subdivision (4) of
9 subsection (b) of section 16-262c of the general statutes. Any such
10 deduction shall be made in the billing cycle immediately succeeding
11 the date on which such company receives a payment from the
12 Connecticut energy assistance program on behalf of such customer. In
13 no event shall the deduction of any amounts pursuant to this section
14 result in a credit balance to the customer's account. The cost of
15 customer account deductions made pursuant to this section shall be

- 16 paid through the normal rate-making procedures of the Public Utilities
17 Regulatory Authority for a gas company and through the systems
18 benefits charge for an electric distribution company."

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| This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections: | | |
| Section 1 | <i>from passage</i> | New section |